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In response to the Interview Summary mailed on September 6, 2005, applicants' request that the following amendments are entered and the following remarks are considered.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.